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## INFORMATION REPORT

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NOTE: The attached report shows the estimated production of pigs for East Germany in the second half of 1953. The estimates are broken down according to three ten-day periods for each month and show the total estimated slaughter of livestock, the proportion of pigs contained in this total figure, and the number of pigs. The figures are in metric tons except for the number of pigs.

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Attachment 1

TOTAL	27,000 1/	487,000	354,000	4,402,000^
December	43 , 400	129,600	96,900	673,000 400,000 2/ ( 11 Man.)
November	30,700	91,900	66,400	831,000
October	27,000	80,500	60,700	772,000
September	27,400	82,400	60,100	664,000
August	17,000	51,000	33,700	512,000
July	17,200	51,600	36,200	550,000
<u>Month</u>	Total Slaughtering and Livestock per Ten-Day Period for the Re- spective Month	Total per Month	Pigs	Estimated Number of Pigs, 11-12 Months Old, on the Basis of 3 June 1953 Census

Month	Planned Pig Production (110 kilograms average weight)	Private Slaughtering	Remaining Estimate of Collection and Purchase	Actual Estimated Use
July	60,000	2,000	58,000	30,000
August	55,000	1,000	54,000	40,000
September	73,000	3,000	70,000	70,000
October	85,000	7,000	78,000	75,000
November	91,000	28,000	63,000	80,000
December	120,000	62,000	58,000	86,000
TOTAL	484,000	103,000	381,000	381,000

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Comment:

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Average total of slaughtering cattle each ten-day period for the second half of 1953.

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The fattening period is expected to be shortened towards the end of the year. For this reason, 400,000 pigs, which will be eleven months old by the end of 1953 were taken from the 1954 total.

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